Perry County

Lead agency: **Lincoln Hills Development Corporation** Coalition Coordinator: Sharilyn Franzman

Total Population 19,338 Hispanic White 18-24 African American Population by race Population by age group

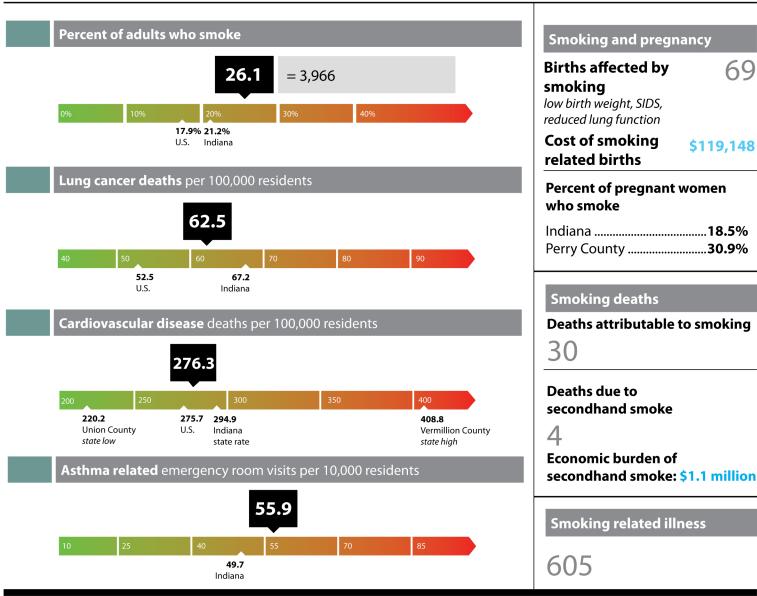
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\$119,148

TOBACCO AND HEALTH IN PERRY COUNTY



TOBACCO CONTROL FUNDING

\$58,850

Funding in Perry County for July 2011- June 2013.

The CDC recommends the Indiana government spend \$78 million each year on tobacco prevention and control programs.

Actual spending in Indiana: \$10 million

\$4.8 billion

Economic cost in Indiana due to smoking, according to the Centers for Disease Control.

Cost per Indiana citizen: \$740

TOBACCO FREE POLICIES

Hospitals and Health Care Facilities:

• Perry County Memorial Hospital

School Districts:

- Cannelton City Schools
- Perry Central Comm School Corporation
- Tell City-Troy Township School Corporation

COMMUNITY-BASED TOBACCO CONTROL COALITION

- Lincoln Hills Development Corporation
- Perry Central School Corporation
- Tell City/Troy Township School Corporation
- Cannelton City Schools
- Perry County Purdue Extension Service
- Perry County Even Start
- Perry County Memorial Hospital
- Southern Hills Counseling Center
- Agape Ministries
- Perry County Clergy Association
- City of Tell City
- Perry County Chamber of Commerce
- Butler Family Dentistry
- LHDC Youth Service Bureau
- Perry County Work One
- Health Families Perry County

COMMUNITY INDICATORS

Protect and maintain local tobacco control coalition infrastructure needed to combat tobacco use, as well as working with community organizations to reduce tobacco use among those groups most impacted by tobacco

Protect Hoosiers from exposures to secondhand smoke by:

- Supporting local or statewide smoke-free air ordinances for worksites, including restaurants, bars and gaming facilities
- Implementing tobacco-free campus policies for hospitals, health care centers, mental health centers and clinics, and addiction treatment centers
- Working toward smoke-free policies in public housing

Decrease adult smoking rates by:

- Promoting Indiana Tobacco Quitline (1-800- QUIT NOW) throughout the community
- Supporting employers to create healthier employees through employer supported tobacco treatment resources to their workforce

Decrease youth smoking rates by:

 Supporting community activism among youth through the VOICE movement

